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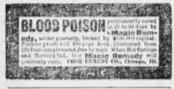
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It Tells Some Interesting Rem iniscences of Its Life.

Lying here on the floor of a closet, my head loose, one of my ribs in twain and two others mended with a bootlace. I am no longer the umbrella I have been. But, though my experiences may seem dark, I am not a cynic. I have had my gay moments as well as my misfortunes. If me have grambled at me because I would not open, sweet words of love have been whispered beneath my covering; and if many have owned me, one has paid for me. Omitting all reference to my early years, why should I not now, as other veterans have done, set down some reminiscences of the men and women I have known? The first man with whom I had any close acquaint-Lying here on the floor of a closet, women I have known? The first man with whom I had any close acquaint-ance was a minister. He came into the alop where I originally saw the light, and said that he wanted an unbrella. The sind he wanted was a very good one, of pure silk, and his only stipula-tion was that it should be as cheap as

ant, "show the gentleman a marquis, and keep the price down."

I am a marquis, and after trying thirty-three of us the minister selected the state of the selected that the se

me. While he was taking sixpence off the price he had a conversation with my maker, which I did not under-stand at the time, though well I know its meaning now.
"You are the first minister," said my

maker, "who has bought an umbrella to my knowledge for the last nine months."

"Why," said my new owner, as he rolled me up very tight (for he was a young mun), "it seems to me that all ministers carry umbrellas."

"That's another thing," says my maker.

"You mean," says the minister, ques-tioningly, "that we have them pre-sented to us."

"That's a delicate way of putting it," ays my maker. "I don't think you have been long a minister?"

"No," says the minister.
"After you have been," says my maker, winking to John, "I'll lose your Then my owner and I went off along

the street. I have nothing to say against him, except that he took me off in fine weather, always keeping me in the weather, always keeping me tightly rolled up, and he spenthours in his lodgings trying to roll me tighter. I don't know that any of my owners loved me as this first one did, and I think the reason was because he alone bought and paid for me. He called himself a minister, but as it turned out himself a minister, but as it turned out he was only a divinity student, and it was at the college that we parted. That was seventeen days after he bought me, and I can still remember the affectionate glance he gave me as he put me into the rack, where there were about a dozen other unit-cllas, and two sticks with brass knobs. That day it rained. The first to leave the room was the progressor, a heavisage. room was the professor, a handsome man of noble countenance, and when he saw the rain he turned back to the rack and looked at the umbrellas. I was the best, an after looking at the others, in picked me out, put me up and walked home beneath me, a benutiful look still lucking on his benevo

lent face.
This eminest college professor is No. 2 of the men I have known, and during the three weeks in which I belonged to bim be called me his new unicrella-one: I heard the dangester (whose un-brolla I should have bleed to be) ask thin why be took me everywhere ex-cept to college, and the good old man replied that the students were given to replied that the storents were given to taking away officer people's underellas. Once during this time I set eyes upon my first owner, and for a moment I thought I was to be restricted to him. He and some other students came to the house to tea, and when he saw me in the professor's rack he exclaimed: "That underella," he said, pointing to me." it the very invarient of the I had

to me. "is the very image of one 1 lost at the college the other day." The professor was standing by, teliing his guests as they came in, one b one, that it had been a frosty cay, an when he heard this remark about me he said in his kindly voice that one um brella is very like another.

"You students," he added, "ought to be more careful about your umbrellas. I am constantly hearing complaints

about their going astray.

Then he took them all into his study, but after a little lie came out and hid me behind the hall clock. That, I thought, was the last I would see of my first owner, but it was not so. The daughter of the house, to whom I have already referred, had overheard the talk about me, and I saw her at he time look queerly at her father. When the student was going she came to the door with him, and I heard them say something about "the usual place at five o'clock." Then she called him back, and running to the clock felt for me with her hand, just as if she knew that her father often put umbrellas there. She thrust me into the student's hand, muttering something about pa-pa's being very absent-minded. Thus I was restored to the student, but only

for a trief space.
On the following Friday afternoon he took me to the class again, and once more the professor was first to leave. His eyes lighted up when he saw me, and he half drew me from the rack. Then he caught sight of another umbrella with an ebony handle, the owner of which was also a student. He com-pared us for a moment, felt the ma-terials and finally went off with the other one. When its owner could not find it he said that I was the next best, and half an hour afterwards I was standing in a corner of his room standing in a corner of his room. Hardly can this gentleman be included among the men I have known, for he vanished from my eight or I vanished from his, on the following evening. On that evening a friend called on line, a gentleman in a light suit and a white has write mean mustacke and a foot hat, with a mean mustache and a fool-lish expression of countenance-a maker of pipes, as I gathered from the conversation. It was a five evening when he called, but not when he got up to go; and not having an umbrelia be was distressed lest his hat should

auder. he asked; but my new owner shook his

"You never brought back the last one," he replied.
"Never mind," said the visitor; "give
me one and I'll bring them both back

together."
"I don't have one," said my owner.
"Why, what is that in the corner?"
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JOHN JOHNTZ, Assignes of Lebold, Fisher & Company.

"It will do very well," said the gen-ieman, selaing hold of me. He promond to bring or send me back next day, ont it week passed, and every evening and him strutting along the pier with me it his right hand. Late one ternoon, sowever, when he was in a worked a making another pipe, the tudent came to the door and said but he wasted his umbrellas. Then the grantle our received him hospita-hly, but declared that he had taken back both underelias three days before. So solemnly did he insist on this that be other knew not what to say and rent off in a daze. The next man I knew was introduced

The next man I knew was introduced to me, so to speak, by his wife. My owner had taken me to a dinner party, and I was in the umbrella stand when two of the company left. They were like first to go, and I saw at once that they were hisband and wife. The rentleman was taking his own university in the stand (for he was weak minded) when the lady handed me to him saying: "This is a much better one." Thus it was that I again changed owners. From this home I was taken the trues to was that lagain changed survers. From this house I was taken by the first gentleman that called, but as lest me on the way. He went by rail, and another gentleman in the carringe left, taking me with him. He was the gentleman who had me in his sand whom we walled home from some with young ladles. These of can't water we walled home from solvee with young ladles. Three of them he told (but at different times) that he beved them passionately, but could not affired to marry; and they all grounded to be sisters to him, which pleased him vastly more, I think than if they had promised to marry him. He left me at the outside of his door one day because I was very wet, and there I was found by a policeman, who twik me in charge and ran me into the miles station. The magistrate picked has out as the best of a x and took me home, where I lay for a week, when I was abstracted from the stand by a own councilor.

lie took ue, the next day, to a meeting of his friends, when there was talk of presenting something to an Irish statesman, and at first I thought they were to present me to him, but it turned out to be something else. This town councilor I heard boasting that he never carried any but the best umbrellas, and he also boasted that he had not beard to marked a size he was not bought an umbrella since he was sixteen years of age. A councilor tack me away from the council clamber, and had a rim of silver put around me with his name and address on it, "for," he said, "if you do not take some pre-caution you are sure to lose your um-brella, the public are so careless or dishousest." In his possession I remained for nearly a month, but one day he took me to a club, and I had not been in the stand for more than five minutes when a lawyer came out, and selecting me with care walked away with me. me with care walked away with me. He took the silver rim off with his pocketanife, and then carded me off to a shop, where he instructed the shop-man to put a band around me saying that I was presented to John Smith, Esq., by his affectionate son-in-law, June 14, 1880. My new owner was the man who abused me because once I was man who abused me because once I was
open I was rejuctant to shut, for now
I had become somewhat stiff. Once
be was in such a rage at me that
he hit me savagely against the hat
stand, and that was how my first rib
was broken so badly.

I was saved from this man by an
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elderly lady, who took me away be neath her waterproof, thinking I should do for an office umbrella for her son. When they discovered, however, that the rib was in two and that I was spot-ted with holes, they raged together at the old gentleman for owning such an umbrella. I was kept at the office on-til one of the elects fell over me and broke two more ribs. My owner now declared that I had been an admirable new umbrella when he bought me the week before, and the anhappy young man had to give him another, where-upon he got me as a gift. I was sorry for him, for he told his master that the we unbrella had cost him fifteen shil-lings, but soon I discovered that he had picked it out of the stand at a doctor's house. He tried to mend me with a boot lace, but my appearance was now hopelessly plebeian, and I heard him tell his aster, who lived with him, that he was really ashamed to be seen or the street with me.

One day our door stood wide open, and so did the door that was only sep-arated from ours by an iron railing; so she took me into the next house and left me in the umbrella stand there taking away a new umbrella in ex-change. It is in this house I am lying now. They offered me to the milkman and the postman, but neither would have me; so I was carried contemptu-ously into the closet, where I now lie —J. M. Barrie, in Two of Them.

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Wife (angrily)—Oh, you wouldn't?

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auppose. No doubt you are sorry you married me. Oh, you wretch! John (still desiring to please) - You don't understand, my dear. I was joking, of course. I meant I would marry

wife (more angelly)—You would, eh?
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